

Abstract of the Disclosure

A zoom lens system for directing an optical image on an electric image sensor that includes a first lens unit disposed on a most object side and having a negative optical power, a second lens unit having a positive optical power, and a third lens unit including a most image side lens unit having at least a positive lens element and a negative lens element, wherein the following condition is satisfied:

$$3 < | f_l / f_w |$$

where f_l is a focal length of the most image side lens unit, and f_w is a focal length of the zoom lens system in a shortest focal length condition.